



2173

41

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of

Applicant : J. Estrada  
Serial No. : 09/752,942  
Filed : 29 Dec 2000

Examiner : Kieu D. Vu  
Group : 2173

Entitled : Method and System for Creating a Place Type  
to be Used as a Template for Other Places  
Docket No. : LOT920000025US1

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RECEIVED

AUG 16 2004

Technology Center 2100

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 CFR 1.8(a)

I hereby certify that the following attached correspondence  
comprising:

Acknowledgment Postcard  
Certificate of Mailing  
Amendment/Response Transmittal  
Amendment

is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first  
class mail in an envelope addressed to:

Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

on 6 August 2004 by

SHELLEY M BECKSTRAND

Shelley M Beckstrand

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**Amendment/Response Transmittal**  
In Re Application of:

IBM Docket No. LOT920000025US1

Applicant : J. Estrada  
Serial No. : 09/752,942  
Filed : 29 Dec 2000  
Examiner : Kieu D. Vu  
Group : 2173  
Entitled : Method and System for Creating a Place Type to be Used as a Template for Other Places



Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450  
Sir:

**RECEIVED**

AUG 16 2004

Technology Center 2100

Transmitted herewith for filing is an **Amendment/Response** in the above-identified Application.

- ☒ No additional fee is required.  
☐ The fee has been calculated as shown below:

(Col. 1)	(Col.2)	(Col.3)	Other Than Small Entity
CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE  ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL * _____	MINUS** _____	= _____	
INDEPENDENT * _____	MINUS*** _____	= _____	X \$18.00 = \$ _____
_____ FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT			X \$84.00 = \$ _____
TOTAL			\$ _____

- \* If the entry in Col. 1 is less than the entry in Col. 2, write "0" in Col. 3.  
\*\* If the "Highest No. Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, enter "20".  
\*\*\* If the "Highest No. Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 3, enter "3". The "Highest No. Previously Paid For" (Total or Independent) is the highest number found in the appropriate box in Col. 1 of a prior amendment or the number of claims originally filed.

- ☒ Please charge IBM Corp. Deposit Account No. **12-2158** in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.  
☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to IBM Corp. Deposit Account No. **12-2158**. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

- ☒ Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.  
☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17.

☐ **CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION**  
I hereby certify that this paper is being facsimile transmitted to the Commissioner for Patents on the date shown below

☒ **CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 CFR 1.8(A)**  
I hereby certify that the enclosed or attached correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O.Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on 6 August 2004  
Name of person mailing paper: Shelley M Beckstrand

Signature: Shelley M Beckstrand date 6 Aug 2004

Respectfully submitted,

For: Julio Estrada

By:

Shelley M Beckstrand  
Attorney: Shelley M Beckstrand  
Registration No.: 24,886  
Telephone: (276) 238-1972  
Address: 61 Glenmont Road  
Woodlawn, VA 24381

Date: 6 Aug 2004



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of

Applicant : J. Estrada  
Serial No. : 09/752,942  
Filed : 29 Dec 2000  
  
Examiner : Kieu D. Vu  
Group : 2173  
  
Entitled : Method and System for Creating a Place  
Type to be Used as a Template for Other  
Places  
Docket No. : LOT920000025US1

**AMENDMENT**

**RECEIVED**

AUG 16 2004

Technology Center 2100

Honorable Commissioner  
for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Office action of 20 May 2004, please  
amend the above-identified application as follows: